

*Remarks to the
Certified Public Management and Supervisory Management
Graduating Class
June 29, 2001*

On behalf of the 2.8 million citizens of the State of Mississippi, I am proud to congratulate you on completion of your work in Certified Public Management and Certified Supervisory Management.

Forty-five of you, representing 21 different agencies, have demonstrated your commitment to the people you serve through your efforts.

Because of the work you have done to be here today, and the work you will do in the future, the lives of the people of our great state are made a little richer, a little safer, and a little happier.

Congratulations on what you have accomplished. I am proud to know I can count on your good work to help move Mississippi ahead in the years to come.

Thank you.